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ceach more pleasant surroundings, but the Colonel was as cool as though in the pouse of his friends; and I noticed that when anything unpleasant was said in when anything unpleasant was said in the colonel was as cool as though in the pouse of his friends; and I noticed that when anything unpleasant was said in the colone was and bumions of an pain and gives less and comfort. Ten thousand testimonials of cures. Try it to-day. Sold by all Druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Sent by mail for 25c in stamps. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y. its presence there was a pretense that t was not intended for his ears.

"On our third evening there we atended a social entertainment at which there were some of the most important persons outside of royalty. National tirs were favorites with those who

ength one of the Dons, with a sheet and the most excruciating politeness. isked the Colonel if he would not favor

hem. To the intense surprise of the Don and all others who had heard the equest, the Colonel accepted with a low. His first touches showed that ie was a master and he drew upon Beethoven, Mozart, Chopin and Liszt n a way that drew the most enthusiistic applause, for music hath charms o soothe even the savagery of Spanish

"When the Colonel suddenly left the classics to give them the 'Star Spangled Banner,' some of the men scowled, but the ladies still called for more and were treated in rapid succession to Dixie,' 'America' and 'Yankee Doodle,' the Colonel actually roaring the latter orth in song, causing the Dons to fairy dance in their wrath. He left the plane as cool as though nothing unusial had occurred and showed such utter ndifference to the mutterings about aim that the fire-eaters ready with the ards they wanted to offer kept them n hand. As we left one stalwart Spanard jostled the Colonel, with a view to zetting tangible material for issuing a challenge, but he was promptly thrown icross the street and laid there groan-

"'I can't stay here to fight all these 'ellows, much as I'd like to,' declared the Colonel as we moved away. 'Busiaess will not permit, and the country may need me at home. It has the first claim on the life of every patriotic citisen.' So we changed our hotel that night, and the next morning we were on our way to France."

LAWRENCE BARRETT.

the Truth About His Parentage and Childhood Days.

ended to be anything more than he rond measure. His father, as he of-

nigh in the social scale. His mother Weekly. was a hardworking woman, whom he never forgot, and of whom he always spoke with the greatest affection and regard. He was a seven months' child, with a preternaturally large head, which was so heavy that he could not walk until he was quite a lad. He often told his friends, and never with the slightest sentiment of shame, how his mother wiped the suds from her and carrying him home again when

the proper time arrived. justly severe with the boy, and when the lad was 10 years old, very slight 'buggy" of a traveling cattle-dealer, and not discovering himself until it was too late to send him back. He found employment in a hotel in a Western city, and later he became call-boy in a Western theater. Here he made friends with the propertyman, who gave him the ends of the candles used in the house, which he took to his garret and stuck into nails iriven in the floor, because the lights were too short to burn long enough in the bottles which were his only candelabra. By the uncertain flame of these "dips," lying on his stomach on the carpetless planks, he studied an old copy of Webster's Dictionary, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the syshave heard him tell all this to a President of the United States in the White House, and in the presence of foreign ministers and secretaries of state and

of long descent. And to prove how familiar he was with his only book, I have heard him repeat and spell and define the many obsolete and obsolesof that dictionary contains.-Harper's popular remedy known. Magazine.

War Helps His Business. Drummer-Is your business affected

by the war? Shaving-Soap Manufacturer-No. We Drummer-Well, come to think of it, substitute. there's a reason for that. S. S. M.-What is it?

Drummer-Why, most men wear longer faces these days.-Brooklyn

Tommy's Educational Progress. Visitor-Well, Tommy, how are you getting on at school?

Tommy (aged 8)-First rate. I ain't doing as well as some of the other boys, from Stewart & Holmes Drug Co., Seattle. though I can stand on my head, but I have to put my feet against the wall. I want to do it without being near the

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to go out between the acts.-Yonkers TRY ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE.

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Miss Tremello (of Boston)-Music. Larry" Brannigan annoyed lifts be- an art? Music? Music is my passion. Mr. Canner-I am so glad. May I burst upon the vessel, demonstrating

ten told me, was Patrick Barrett, an have the pleasure of your company this only too forcibly the fate another mo-

Pursued by Fate, "McGuffin thinks he has more bad

luck than any man living." "Any special instance?" "Yes, if he happens to have a coun-

terfeit half dollar it is always the one ais wife picks out to leave in his pocket."-Detroit Free Press.

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CAPTAIN DEWEY'S COOLNESS.

Interesting Incident in the Career of

the Hero of Manila. A good story is told of Commodore Dewey, which illustrates not only his coolness and judgment in a moment of peril, but also the high regard in which he is held by the men under his command. It was during the spring of 1887, when Commodore Dewey, then a captain, had command of the flagship Pensacola, a sailing vessel, in the Mediterranean. While en route from Athens to the coast of Spain the vessel encountered a series of short but violent squalls, which not only greatly rectly on to the hull of the ship. Someretarded her progress, but proved intensely wearing on the crew.

One night, when the inconsistency of the weather was particularly annoying, the officer of the watch happened unpopular with the men, being what shorten sail, and they were naturally very much exhausted from racing back and forth from the decks to the upper rigging. Finally the order was again given to make sail, and the tired sallors set about to put it into execution. But, after the work had been accomplished and all hands had come down from aloft, it occurred to the officer that the men had not exhibited

speaking trumpet in hand, he thundered a torrent of epithets at the crew, following it up with an order to lay aloft and go through the tactics of shortening sail by way of drill. Unfortunately, however, he had failed to reckon upon the inborn spirit of the American sailors, and right here their forbearance forsook them, and not a recently published in England, relates man of their number made a move- a story of a woman journalist in the

Alive to the danger to which the exposed, the lieutenant retreated from his threatening attitude and urged, entreated, implored the men to save the vessel, but in vain-they had been driven to sheer desperation and only the tempest, its flerceness foretold by the livid shafts of lightning which peatedly flashed from its inky depths. The lieutenant, in despair, had sunk to his knees, with his face in his hands, awaiting the inevitable doom. Suddenly from out the cabin companionway a form emerged. It was the captain. In an instant his glance had taken all in-the approaching storm, the defiant crew, the suppliant officer, the flapping sails, and then, clear and loud, rang out the order: "All hands shorten sail!" That was all. But it was sufficient. Before the last word of that their captain, as they sped to their canvas had been stowed and the ship street, was stopped five times between and under here poles. Even before the station door and the train by rethey could regaln the decks the gale speciable beggars.

When the shock had passed and the

crew had assembled in readiness to obey the next order, Capt. Dewey addressed his first words to the officer of the deck. "Go to your room," he said. Then turning to his crew, he commanded them without the least suspicion of rebuke in his tones, "Boatswain, pipe down!"-St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Salaries of Ambassadors. Assuredly money must be plentiful in the Transvaal. A short time ago its legislators made themselves a present of a handsome increase in their remuneration for managing the affairs of the country, while more recently it is announced that Dr. Leyds is to receive £17,000 a year as representative of the fransvaal in Europe. This salary is greatly in excess of the amount which Great Britain deems sufficient for any one of her representatives in foreign countries. Great Britain's most highly paid ambassador is the representative in Paris, though he receives little more than half the sum Dr. Leyds is to draw -a beggarly £9,000. Britain's ambassadors to Germany, Austria-Hungary and Turkey receive £8,000 a year each. The representative in St. Petersburg has the next largest salary-£7,800; while £800 less is considered enough for the British ambassador who takes up his residence in the Eternal City. For some reason, known only to the diplomatic mind, the British representative in Washington is much worse off, receiving but £6,500 a year, though he has probably to work far harder for his ceives £5,500, while the representatives in Ohina and Persia draw £500 each

Japan, Braza and Egypt each receive £4,000, but Lord Cromer has besides £1,000 as a "personal allowance." The British agent at Pretoria, who is paid by the Colonial Office, receives only £2,000 a year.

Society of Large Membership. A well-known Washington woman was doing the cathedral cities of England last summer. Throughout her tour she wore a tiny American flag pinned to the waist of her traveling are doing a larger business than ever. wishes to try it. Do not accept any dresses. A good many of the English people whom she met did not understand, or pretended not to understand, what the flag stood for.

"You belong to a secret society, I perceive," said an Englishwoman to whom she was introduced, pointing to the diminutive starry banner. "Yes," responded the Washington

woman amiably, "there are 70,000,000 of us."-Washington Post. Islands. Lake Huron contains 3,000 islands; Loch Erne, in Ireland, has 865; the

Lake of the Thousand Isles, in the St. Lawrence River, has 1,700. When a main is up late at night, he should be given only half his regular

Affection before marriage is often overdone, but after marriage it is usu

wages for the next day's work.

SHEATHING A SHIP.

Composition Metal Now Largely Used. Work Quickly and Handsomely Done. Yachts built of wood are sheathed with copper, and so are many tugboats. Merchant ships are sometimes sheathed most commonly used is a composition metal which in appearance resembles brass. It does not wear so long as copper, but it costs less. The composition metal comes in sheets about 3 feet by 1 foot 4 inches. They are fastened on the ship with nails of the same material Sometimes the sheathing is nailed di-

of felt, which helps to preserve the calking in the seams. When the ship has been placed in a drydock or raised out of water on a to be a young lieutenant who was very | floating dock, the old metal is stripped off, and if she is to have a felt sheathis termed in nautical vernacular a ing the bottom of the ship is first paint-"Bucko." Several times during the ed with a coat of pitch, and the sheets watch all hands had been called to of felt are laid upon that, and then the sheets of metal are nailed on over them. The work is done very rapidly and at the same time with great nicety. Every nail head is sunk so that it is flush with the plate. If the hand were passed over the sheathing anywhere, it would be found smooth. If the nail heads were permitted to project, they would of course interfere with the speed of the

times it is nailed over another sheathing

sheathing such a ship with composition not had the slightest pain since taking metal over felt, including material, dock charges, labor and everything, would be about \$4,000, or a little less, and such a sheathing would last about two long voyages —New York Sun.

Her Idea of It.

"Journalism For Women," a book advice, which is freely offered. ment to execute the overhearing order. north of England who wrote to a Lon-Willing flourishing his trumpet, the now | don paper for permission to act as its frenzied martinet threatened and special correspondent during the visit of cursed and stormed, but to no avail; some royal personages to her town. The Reed for his signature he writes it the blood of the crew was up, and they editor of the paper, knowing her for a rather hastily, and it is simply T. B. cursed back, ridleuled, laughed him to good descriptive writer, gave the neces- Reed. If the pen does not mark plainly, scorn. Suddenly the sea and sky were sary authority, with explicit informates the speaker does not always take pains to dip it anew, provided there is a it was clear that another squall was copy. The moment came, but not the scrawl and all the letters are visible. copy, and the editor had to go to press without it. The next day, no explanaship, with all her canvas spread, was tion having arrived, he dispatched to committee on enrolled bills, of which his special correspondent a particularly Representative Hager of Iowa is chair-

scoffed at him the more. Onward came a headache after the ceremonies were one, he writes his name slowly and careover that I really did not feel equal to fully. It does not appear as T. B. Reed, the exertion of writing. I thought it but as Thomas B. Reed. would not matter."

it amounted to exactly this:

Not to Be Thought Of. "Have you selected your topic for a graduation essay?" said the dear girl's 'Yes. It is 'The Injurious Restraints

of Superstition, Ancient and Modern." "That's very interesting. You must get right to work on it." "Oh, dear, no! You wouldn't have me begin it on Friday, would you?"-

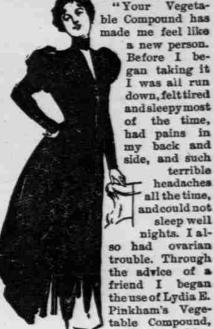
Washington Star. London suburban travel is made atcommand had been uttered the rigging tractive by the presence in the stations was full of flying sailors, cheering of young women who beg for all kinds of charitable objects. One man in a task, and in a twinkling every foot of burry, after running the gantlet in the

COULD NOT SLEEP.

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"What fur?" "Fur bekase he needs the offiss wuss than airy man in the race."

'Elain't been sick so he couldn't wack ner authin, haz he?"

"No, but he is just out ov the chain The Norfolk Virginian sees a future gang, whar he haz been for six months, irish immigrant, who never rose very evening to the minstrels?—New York ment's delay would have hurled upon rival of the Greater New York in the an hain't had a chance to make nairy union of seven towns in its neighbor- cent. He's the man that railly needs hood, with the name of Virginia, Va. the offiss. fellers."-Atlanta Journal.

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